

New York, Feb. 7—
Cotton futures opened
steady. March 33.98;
May 34.20; July 32.78;
October 28.31; Decem-
ber 27.85.

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WEATHER
(Associated Press)
Washington, Feb. 7—
Alabama: Fair tonight
and probably Friday.
Not much change in tem-
perature. Probably a
heavy frost to the coast
tonight.

A. B. FALL WILL NOT BE FORCED TO TESTIFY
Clemenceau Denies Secret Pact Made With WilsonGRAVE VIEW HELD
OF GEORGE CHARGE

Relations Between the
Two Premiers Had
Become Cordial

McDONALD PUT
IN BAD LIGHT

Pier Offers to Pay Up
Reparations if the
Charge Is Proven

(Associated Press)

LONDON, Feb. 7.—A grave view is held in British government circles regarding the situation precipitated by former Prime Minister Lloyd George's allegations of a compact between Woodrow Wilson and Georges Clemenceau, over the occupation of the Rhineland, it was authoritatively stated today.

The relations between Premier Poincare and Prime Minister McDonald have become cordial and it is declared that the disclosure was made today that they arrived at some important arrangement with regard to the Bavarian situation.

Mr. Lloyd George's statement therefore caused something akin to consternation in government quarters, as it was felt that he had placed Mr. McDonald in a difficult position. In view of this Lord Crew, British ambassador at Paris, has been instructed to interview M. Poincare and give a personal explanation of the situation so as to remove any wrong impression.

PARIS, Feb. 7.—Prime Minister McDonald, of Great Britain, has written Premier Poincare, expressing regret for the incident caused by the Lloyd George interview, asserting the discovery of an agreement at the Paris peace conference between Woodrow Wilson and Premier Clemenceau, regarding occupation of the Rhineland, says a dispatch to the semi-official Havas agency from London this afternoon.

The letter points out that the fault is not Mr. McDonald's.

PARIS, Feb. 7.—"If Lloyd George will produce a secret agreement between Wilson and me I will pay the reparations," said former Premier Clemenceau today, after reading the text of the statement ascribed to David Lloyd George, concerning a secret pact between Clemenceau and Woodrow Wilson, in regard to the occupation of the Rhineland.

Andre Padiou's denial, made during the session of the chamber of deputies yesterday, and amplified and approved by Clemenceau, says:

"The text that Mr. Wilson accepted on April 20, at 6 p. m., in conversation with Mr. Clemenceau and myself has been in the hands of Mr. Lloyd George as well as those of Mr. Wilson for 15 days. It was the same text that Mr. Lloyd George, absent from Paris on the 20th, accepted on the morning of the 22nd after a last resistance. The clauses in question become articles 428 and 432 of the treaty of Versailles.

JAPANESE MINISTER
DEFENDS ATTITUDE

(Associated Press)

TOKYO, Feb. 7.—Viewing with anxiety the "increasing restrictions upon Japanese residents in the United States and the proposals now before congress for further exclusion of Japanese," Foreign Minister Matsui, in an exclusive statement to the Associated Press today appealed to the United States to heed Japan's cherished desire "to be treated on the same footing as other independent nations."

He defended Japan's attitude on the questions as conciliatory and well-meaning and the statements he made expressed readiness to discuss anew the problems of restrictions and exclusion.

OLIVER HARRIMAN TO WED MODEL



Miss Harriett Hewitt

The above is an artistic study of Miss Harriett Hewitt, former mannequin in a New York hat shop, drawn by Harrison Fisher, the noted artist. The beautiful model will become the bride of Oliver Carley Harriman, son of the millionaire New York banker, as soon as the first Mrs. Harriman's interlocutory divorce decree becomes final. Young Harriman himself is a banker, clubman and noted sportsman.

LAWRENCE CREAM
BEING SENT HERE

As good a grade of cream is being furnished now by the farmers of Lawrence County as has been coming to the Decatur Ice Cream and Creamery company of Decatur, from Tennessee, stated J. W. Clopton Thursday morning. The farmers of Lawrence lately set up a cream station at Moulton following plans explained to them by J. T. High, district farm agent of Auburn, and other farm experts. M. B. Mackey, one of the farm bureau officials of Lawrence county, has charge of the Moulton cream station. The cream is transported to Decatur, first from Moulton to Hillsboro a distance of 15 miles by private conveyance, and thence to the Decatur Creamery.

Several shipments have already been sent from the Moulton capital. It was only a few months ago that Mr. High and others began to cooperate with Lawrence county people for the production and sale of more dairy products.

"The idea some farmers seem to have" stated Mr. Clopton, "that they must be on a railroad in order to make and sell cream to an advantage is disapproved by the experience of the Lawrence County farmers, who have to send their products 15 miles before they strike a railroad."

Funeral Friday
for Mrs. Webster

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the First Baptist church for Mrs. H. M. Webster, who died at 12:30 o'clock Wednesday at the home of her father, J. B. McGar, on Grant street, Mrs. Webster, whose home was in Corbin, Ky., had been visiting here several weeks.

Palbearers will be: H. J. Jones, G. C. Thompson, Percy Hames, J. E. Black, Carlisle Buck, Arthur Bowen. Interment will be made here. Mrs. Webster is survived by her husband and little daughter. Her father, J. B. McGar of Albany; five brothers, H. L. McGar of Atlanta, J. L. McGar of Edwinstown, Ill., J. K. Stanley and Grady McGar of Albany; two sisters, Mrs. Cy Graham of Montgomery and Miss Maxine McGar of Albany.

TREASURY BOND
PROBE IS ASKED

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Investigation that duplicate bonds have been destroyed in the treasury department was asked in a resolution introduced today by Representative Laguardia republican of New York.

Charles B. Brewer, department of justice agent, in a report to President Coolidge and Attorney General Daugherty, a copy of which was filed today in the District of Columbia supreme court, said he expected to prove that knowledge of duplicated government bonds had been suppressed by the treasury department and evidence of duplication destroyed here.

Secretary Mellon, at the same time, reiterated that the treasury is in its long investigation of the matter has found no evidence of malicious irregularity.

Threaten Record
for Local Blazes

With two fires for Wednesday, one in the afternoon and the other at 10 o'clock p. m., and with a fire for every day of this month Albany promises to establish a new high record. Besides in the month of January 22 fires was the record.

Chief Sorber declared Thursday that the last 40 days had brought more fires than any other period of the same length in his whole 18 years service as head of the Albany fire department.

The fire of last night was in an automobile on the Somerville road between Eighth and Ninth street. The car of Charles Royer burning all but the chassis. Royer stated crossed wires on the machine caused the fire. Yesterday afternoon a house owned by E. M. Ellis and occupied by J. W. Couch on 5th avenue, south, caught from a defective flue. The fire department responded promptly and the loss was small.

TO KNOW FATE SOON

(Associated Press)

MOBILE, Feb. 7.—Thomas W. Cleveland's fate will be placed in the hands of 12 men today for the third time since Stephen Lossing, aged 89, was killed at his river home, this county, August 24, 1923.

COOPER-WELLS CO.
BUYS MORE LAND

Knitting Mill Owners
Purchase Five Lots
Near Railroad

ANNOUNCEMENT IS
LACKING ON PLAN

Site Located in Heart
of New Industrial
District

Announcement was made this morning by W. A. Bibb, chairman of the board of directors of the Morgan County National Bank, that Cooper-Wells and company owners of the Cooper-Wells Knitting mills of Albany and St. Joseph, Michigan, have purchased a site west of the local knitting mill of that company. The site is composed of five lots and is in close proximity to the land on which the new mill of Cooper-Wells company is now located.

The deal was consummated today when all deeds were duly signed as required to make the transfer of the property.

No announcement was made as to the purpose of the officials of the Cooper-Wells company in making this additional purchase.

It was pointed out, that the land secured is located right in the heart of the new industrial district located south of Second street and extending south to include the large tract on which is located over a dozen Louisville and Nashville repair shops.

Due west from the site purchased by the Cooper-Wells company stand the new building now being erected by the Decatur Cornice and Roofing company on their six acre lot, just west of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, near the Albany Silk Mill. Within a radius of half a mile near the Cooper-Wells company including its knitting mill erected last year, are the Albany Silk Mill, the several buildings of the Decatur Cornice and Roofing company, and the Louisville and Nashville Railroad shops.

Real estate men expressed the opinion this morning that indications were good from inquiries received for the transfer of more sites and lots to parties desiring to locate here from northern states.

The property just bought by the Cooper-Wells company was one of the many sites owned here by members of the firm known as the Decatur Land company.

Employees at Mill
Pay Wilson Tribute

One of the most impressive of the services held here in honor of the memory of Woodrow Wilson was held at the Cooper-Wells Knitting mill, when Dr. James D. Hunter, pastor of the Central Methodist church spoke to the employees of the mill on the life and character of Mr. Wilson. Dr. Hunter was introduced by Mrs. C. W. Black following the singing of "America" by all present.

Sausage Fatal to
One; Five Dying

(Associated Press)

STUEBENVILLE, O., Feb. 7.—One man is dead, five others are reported to be dying at the Ohio Valley hospital here, the result of eating spiced sausage made from eating uncooked meat.

L. P. Plemons Dies
at Chicago Home

J. L. Plemons has been called to Chicago by the death of his brother, S. P. Plemons of that city.

S. P. Plemons resided here for a number of years and was foreman of the American Oak Leather Co. He had many friends in this city.

NEW REVENUE BILL
REPORTED TO HOUSE

Eight Democrats Fail
to Vote on Measure
in Committee

INCOME TAX CUT
APPLIES ON 1923

Mellon Suggestions in
Main Incorporated
in the Report

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The new revenue bill, providing for a complete revision of federal taxes and a 25 per cent reduction in 1923 income tax was favorably reported to the house today by the ways and means committee.

The vote was 15 to 3, eight of the 11 democrats on the committee, voting present with the announcement that they opposed income tax rates fixed by the republicans in private on the lines suggested by Secretary Mellon, but that they did not wish to delay the report of the bill.

The Mellon income tax rate adopted by the committee provides for a reduction of from four to three per cent in normal tax on the first \$4,000 of net income and from three to six per cent on the remainder of the net income.

The maximum surtax reduced from 50 per cent to 25 per cent on incomes of \$100,000 and over and was begun at one per cent on net incomes of \$10,000 instead of \$8,000. Another feature of the tax revision came up soon afterwards in the house when debates were opened on the joint resolution for a constitutional amendment to prohibit the issuance of tax exempt securities.

The revenue measure provides for a saving to the tax payer of about \$320,000,000 annually, based on the revenue receipts of 1921 and for about \$225,000,000 in income taxes payable this year on the 1923 incomes.

About \$115,000,000 of the loss in revenue will be suffered through reductions in the indirect or war exercise taxes, many of which were repealed entirely. The remainder results in the cuts from income rates.

Foster Plant Will
Be Opened at Once

The branch house of Fosters Incorporated will be opened here at once by its field manager, D. Berger, of New York, who has just arrived accompanied by Mrs. Berger.

Mr. Berger stated that toward the last of this week he expected H. Foster now in Knoxville, the president of the concern who had written him making an appointment with him here.

In speaking of the policy of the company as regards employees, Mr. Berger stated only local people would be used, if suitable people could be secured here. Mr. Berger plans to get the business under way and then turn it over to a local man as manager. The Foster company will operate in a radius of about 25 miles each way from the Twin Cities. Mr. Berger said the branch here would be known as the "Albany-Decatur Branch".

The building to be occupied by the company is on East Church street, Decatur.

Committee Held
the Right to Call
Primary Election

(Associated Press)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Feb. 7.—In calling a special preferential primary for March 11 the state democratic committee was within its rights, under the law, although state, county and municipal authorities are not to assume any responsibility for expenses incurred in such a primary, according to a formal opinion laid down by Attorney General Harwell G. Davis late yesterday.

Army Nurse Saw Two
Presidents Die.

Mrs. Ruth Powderly

Mrs. Ruth Powderly, U. S. Army nurse, was in constant attendance upon Warren G. Harding when he died in San Francisco. Later returned to Washington, she was summoned to the bedside of Woodrow Wilson and constantly ministered to him until death ended his struggles. She also nursed Mrs. Harding on the occasion of her nearly fatal illness, and was a member of the Harding party in Alaska.

BASEBALL PLANS
ARE TALKED EARLY

Baseball sentiment here has begun to manifest itself unusually early this year, following recitals of the history of the triumphs of the game in the Twin Cities in the years of the past.

It is pointed out, that in recent years that even financially speaking the national game has been reasonably successful. It is also shown that always on the home grounds the games were so well attended that some money was cleared. Following reports from Huntsville and other cities of the Tennessee Valley as made to him Gordon McDuff, who was the manager of the teams here in recent years, declared he would like to be part owner of a baseball franchise here, if such cities as Huntsville, Athens and Florence and Sheffield could be gotten into the same circuit.

The former manager pointed out, that it was membership in the last D league teams of the valley as held by some of the smaller towns that kept the local treasurer anxious as to the financial affairs of the home team.

"When we used to go to Russellville" said the former manager, "instead of a full attendance at the game often there were only a few dozen present. Our team's living and traveling expenses on such trips almost ate up our profits as made at such places as Sheffield and Columbia and on the home grounds."

"If we could all get together throughout the Tennessee Valley after some sort of a plan, whether independent or league ball, I believe we would have a lot of fun, and that the venture would be successful from a financial standpoint."

The former manager explained that outside of the sports feature of having baseball among the cities of the valley, that he believed that it would be a good thing from every other standpoint, for the cities of the Tennessee Valley to get together as baseball playing cities.

Norris Bill Put
Before Senate

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Operation of the Muscle Shoals project by the government, through a federal chemical corporation, would be authorized by a bill introduced today by Senator Norris, of Nebraska. The measure is substantially the same as that introduced by the senator last session.

The war department would be authorized and directed to complete dams two and three and then turn the whole project over to the proposed corporation which would be created to manufacture chemicals for the military service and for producing cheap fertilizer.

NO FURTHER EFFORT
TO GET TESTIMONY

Committee Decides to
Follow Advice of
Its Counsel

WALSH MOTION
ADOPTED TODAY

Fall Had Declined to
Waive Immunity,
Attorney Said

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Further efforts to question Albert B. Fall, central figure in the oil lease investigation, were abandoned. The conclusion was reached upon advice of the special government counsel in the oil cases, Silas Strawn and Atlee Pomerene. They recommended against permitting Mr. Fall to testify unless he waived immunity.

After considering the recommendation of counsel for an hour the committee adopted this motion made by Senator Walsh, democrat:

"The witness, Albert B. Fall, having refused to answer any questions that might be put to him touching matters under investigation by the committee on the grounds that his evidence might tend to incriminate him, and the committee being advised by counsel that the statute providing that a witness shall not be excused from testifying before a congressional committee on such grounds being less broad in its scope than the constitutional guarantee, so that proceedings for contempt or by indictment against the witness would probably fail, and if the witness proceeded to testify before the committee, under protest, he might gain immunity from prosecution, and the committee, being further advised by the attorney for the witness that his purpose to stand on his constitutional right is irrevocable. I move that the subpoena issued for the witness, Albert B. Fall, be vacated and that he be released from further attendance on the committee."

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—E. L. Donhey, the California oil operator, has notified the senate oil committee that instead of \$250,000, which he recently estimated his interests had paid William G. McAdoo's law firm, the amount actually paid so far is \$150,000 including an annual fee of \$25,000 to Mr. McAdoo himself.

In a letter on the subject, sent to Chairman Lenroot, Mr. Donhey added none of the money or any other payment had ever been given the McAdoo firm with regard to any matter relating to the contract or leases which had been under investigation by the senate committee.

MEMORIAL SERVICE
SUNDAY AFTERNOON

One week from the day of the announcement of his death, suitable services will be held in the Masonic theater in honor of Woodrow Wilson. The services will open at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon and a large attendance by the people of the Twin Cities is expected.

Prof. C. D. Wade, superintendent of the Albany city schools, has already made full arrangements for heating the Masonic theater in case the weather is cold, the management of the theater having already given its use free of all charges. Prof. Wade stated today that with one or two exceptions, the program of the memorial services had been arranged. Dr. L. E. Goodwin, Dr. Samuel D. Steele, Col. T. H. Tidwell and Dr. W. F. Reeves have already consented to take part in the meeting. Prof. Wade stated that a musical program was being arranged and that he hoped to secure the services of the Albany-Decatur concert band, in addition to a number of singers and piano accompanists.

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WILSON'S DEATHLESS VISION

Wednesday the business of a nation halted while the last rites were performed in honor of Woodrow Wilson, America's war president, to be sure, but far more America's peace president. Although Woodrow Wilson was our commander-in-chief during the most tremendous war in all history, yet Americans think of him, Europe thinks of him, the whole world thinks of him, not as a war president, but as the man who outlined the program in accordance with which five-sixths of the nations of the world are now traveling towards that universally longed-for era of perpetual freedom from war. And they, having progressed, will draw all others after them.

The people are not so much grieving over Wilson's death, which was for him an emancipation from an outworn mortal frame that shackled him, as saddened and sobered by the thought that in some way they did not vouchsafe to him the definite assurance that this nation would henceforth bear aloft that torch of hope with which he shed such an illumination upon the gloom of the latter war days, and upon the path of the troubled future. Yet, with his astute mind and with his confidence in the ultimate triumph of right principles, there can be no doubt that the great leader's vision enabled him to pierce the veil of the future for himself and with prophetic anticipation to behold the day when the nations shall welcome his own fair country into the circle of those who have bonded themselves into the covenant of the League of Nations. Yet how comforting it would have been to him had the people in whose behalf he poured out the final volume of his strength and energy also shown evidence of such vision.

To mourn Wilson's passing and not be edified by the ideals he cherished is hypocrisy. The substantial good that men do lives after them. Their frailties of the flesh die with them. Before Woodrow Wilson's death the political and personal differences of all sincere men drop from them, and for that moment at least they plumb those profound currents of principle and morality in which there is universal human kinship and agreement. In order that men may build their monuments of human welfare on a lasting foundation, they must clear away all the debris and fragile structure of dogma and thinspun sophistry—which this one believes and that rejects, each displaying at the same time the products of his own spinning—and must arrive at those fundamentals of right and justice and morality which are accepted in all lands among all people of all ages. Only on those fundamentals, purged of prejudice and predilection, can the permanent institutions of mankind, acceptable to all nations, be constructed.

It must be accorded to the great leader, over whose mortal remains the final ceremonies today are being solemnized, that he searched for the eternal verities and sought to incorporate them in his magnificent plan for a worldwide democracy of sympathy and understanding, in order that men might forever be freed from the danger of war, protected therefrom, not by a militant world police, but by the very absence of preparation and of desire for war.

Because Woodrow Wilson dug deep and rested his foundations on the truths of the ages, the edifice he envisioned and in part brought into being will continue to build and to grow into its ultimate and inevitable triumph and completion. Its destiny may not be achieved in this generation nor the next, for the lasting products of civilization are of slow development. Neverthe-

less, men have already begun to enjoy its benefits and these also will multiply as time goes on. Woodrow Wilson lies in his final sleep; but the part of Woodrow Wilson that is deathless, the practical ideal of a more perfect harmony among mankind, will live forever.—Age-Herald

BROADCASTING THOUGHT WAVES

Luther Burbank may yet be famous for something besides the development of new species of plant life. It appears that he has a gift of telepathy—communicating with other people by direct action of mind upon mind.

That such a power is found here and there is well attested by modern psychology, but Mr. Burbank appears to possess it to an unusual degree. Ordinarily when thought from one mind affects another without the use of ordinary means, it seems accidental. The laws of such action are very obscure. But the California naturalist says he has the unusual power of directing his thought to particular relatives or friends when he wants to communicate with them. That phenomenon is as much worth studying as his plant transformations.

Of still more interest is the wizard's theory regarding thought transference in general, and the part it is playing in the world nowadays. He says:

"Those who can send messages to particular people differ from others only in that they can direct their thought-waves. The greater part of humanity simply broadcasts. Since we are all transmitting every time we think, it is obvious that the jamming in wave-length belts used by radio transmitters is as nothing compared with the din made by a million and a half brains.

"I am of the opinion that the sick state of mind of the world is largely due to the thoughts that the human race is generating—and transmitting. The great fortunes that were made in America as a result of the war pitched a note that has resounded in a great many beings. One man hears it and becomes a profiteer, while a different type holds up a business place in broad daylight. We put ourselves in misery with our destructive broadcasting and kill ourselves with our suicidal fears."

If this is true—and many students of psychology believe it is—here is a tremendous argument for right thinking. If every thinking mind is broadcasting its thoughts all the time, it is mighty important to think constructively. And if minds work in this marvelous way after the manner of radio, every one, no matter what his station in life, can contribute to human progress merely by having right ideas and generous moods.—Tuscaloosa News.

HARNESSING FUNDY TIDES

Engineers have talked a good deal about "harnessing the ocean tides," but nothing has ever been done about it. Now there is a concrete proposal to tap this source of power, on a vast scale, in the Bay of Fundy, where the tides are famous for height and volume. The plan has been submitted by one of the engineers who worked out the Muscle Shoals scheme in Alabama, and is now being studied by the Federal Power Commission.

It calls for the construction of dams five miles long across the Passamaquoddy Bay, between Maine and New Brunswick, where the tide rushes through a narrow entrance four times a day with tremendous power. There would be two pools formed by these artificial barriers, with gates to let the great flood tide into the upper pool and to empty the lower pool at ebb tide. It is estimated that a stream of water as large as that flowing over Niagara Falls would be running through the gates, and that 500,000 horse-power could be utilized with the works now contemplated.

That is but a small fraction of the power that has been going to waste in the Bay of Fundy for long ages, and but one of the many places where hundreds of thousands of horse-power might be bottled up and put to human use. All the wheels in New England might be turned, at less than the cost of any power now available, if only a few of those tidal possibilities along the Atlantic coast were utilized.

There are similar possibilities, of varying degree, along every American coast line, especially in the Pacific Northwest. Those tides, raised by the moon, will be waiting to do the work of our posterity when all the coal and oil run out.—Tuscaloosa News.



THE CAMEO DANCING GIRLS

With the Frank Silver Brilliant Revue at the Masonic, Monday Night, February 11

LOCAL BAPTISTS TO ATTEND CONVENTION

The Southern Baptist's Laymen's convention, due to open in Memphis, February 12 and continue three days, will doubtless have a number of attendants from the Twin Cities and Morgan county, it was stated by prominent Baptist laymen this morning.

At least eight or ten men are expected to attend the conference from the Central Baptist church—it was stated. Other Baptist churches in the city and surrounding country are also expected to have delegates at the conference.

The leading lay leaders of the Southern Baptist convention are expected to make addresses during the three days of the conference. It is expected that a great impetus will be given the movement now on foot among all Southern Baptists for the wiping out of the balance still due

on the \$75,000,000 fund, at the Memphis convention.

Announcing the opening OF THE Savoy Cafe

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Engineering—\$500,000 yearly

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There is a department of Methods and Standards. They decide and fix every standard in these cars.

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Our closed cars have Chase Mohair upholstery. This is made from the soft fleece of Angora goats. And a Sedan requires from 15 to 18 yards.

Velour for this upholstery would save us up to \$100 per car.

Note the finish of every detail. Mark the infinite care. They add 25% to labor cost on luxurious closed bodies.

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In 1922, the public paid over \$155,000,000 for 110,269 Studebaker cars, an increase of 66% over 1921.

In 1923, the public paid over \$201,000,000 for 145,162 Studebaker cars, an increase of 32% over 1922.

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Roadster (3-Pass.)	975.00
Coupe-Roadster (2-Pass.)	1195.00
Coupe (5-Pass.)	1395.00
Sedan	1485.00

SPECIAL-SIX

5-Pass. 119" W. B. 50 H. P.	
Touring	\$1350.00
Roadster (2-Pass.)	1325.00
Coupe (3-Pass.)	1895.00
Sedan	1985.00

BIG-SIX

7-Pass. 126" W. B. 60 H. P.	
Touring	\$1750.00
Speedster (5-Pass.)	1834.00
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MY HUSBAND'S LOVE

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Madge's Interview with a Tenacious Visitor.

I FOLLOWED Madge out of the library quietly, but my heart was pounding with excitement at the summons. A stranger in the kitchen meant nothing at any ordinary time, but this afternoon I caught my breath as I came within vision of the open kitchen door, and saw standing by the table the flat-footed man whom I'll call Lillian had flattered as a detective who, we say, had entered the post-office.

"Here's the missus," Jim said, as I came in the door and looked with inquiry, which I tried to make casual, at the intruder.

He swept off his hat hastily and, clumsily, "Good afternoon," he said. "We just bought in with a little express business in the village, and I'm around trying to drum up a little trade. If you expect to have any moving, or trunks, or baggage, any time, I'm sure you'll find my prices very reasonable."

He had lost no time in beginning to trace the movements of the orphaned Harrison children, whom their father's family were so anxious to secure. That was my first apprehensive thought, followed quickly, however, by a more reassuring one. The man was also after two clays in blacked-out, felt that I could outwit him myself, even if Lillian were as stupid as a hand, royal aid in any conceivable way.

"What business did you buy?" I asked as if interested. "Half?"

Choking Back a Laugh.

"No, that isn't the name," he fumbled in his memory. "Jim Jones, that's it."

I choked a laugh back with difficulty. The thing was too absurd. "Singing Jim Jones" was the town's laughing stock, a poor half-wit with an old emaciated horse and a small wagon, who picked up the odd jobs and odd jobs, and two up-to-date motor expresses which the village boasted.

"That ought to be very nice for

Mr. Jones," I went on, with a sympathetic note in my voice. "I am afraid he doesn't get very many jobs—his outfit."

"Oh, I'm going to change all that," he interpolated hastily. "I've a motor truck of my own, and I'm having it driven down here. You'll see we'll be just as up-to-date as any of the others—more so. I hope you'll give us a trial, Mrs. Harrison."

I pretended not to notice the slip, but from beneath my half-lowered lashes—a trick Lillian taught me long ago—I saw his quick, furtive, apprehensive glance at me. The misplaced name drove home the last nail in my suspicion. He was a detective set by the family of William Harrison upon the trail of his children and his subconsciousness had been so full of the name that it had swum into his conscious utterance before he could repress it.

Bulldog Determination.

"Oh, yes, indeed, I'll send for you, if we ever need anything in my line," I assured him largely. "I should like very much to help poor old Mr. Jones in any way I could. I do not know, however, when we shall have any expressing to do, not for weeks anyway. You see, the only traveling we do is when my husband and I go back and forth to the city, and then we only have light luggage, which goes in our own car."

He moistened his lips slyly with his tongue, but I saw him do it, and was prepared for his next question.

"But," he stammered, "I understand—someone told me—you see, I've been trying to pick up trade around for several days, and one person sends me to another—that you had a lot of people here on a visit, children, and grown-ups, and they would be going away soon. I thought—perhaps—children take so much baggage—you know."

It was more clumsily done, but underneath the man's awkwardness I recognized a tenacity which made me uneasy. I looked more closely at him and saw beneath the lips, which were babbling so aimlessly, a bulldog jaw which looked as if it would never let go anything upon which it once had clamped.

HER PROBLEMS

By Annette Bradshaw



WHEN ONE PURCHASE SERVES A DUAL PURPOSE.

GERALDINE—Hold it against you, Florence, and you'll get the effect. I'm sorry for the unfortunate plight of the Austrians, of course; but certainly it is not without its compensations, since Vienna is responsible for the dual-purpose lace flounce. You can wear it as a negligee in the morning, and then as a decorative apron or an evening gown. Can you blame me for buying two when they are so useful?

Advice to Girls

By ANNIE LAURIE.

DEAR ANNIE LAURIE: I am a girl in my teens and am left to settle my own problems as best I can, but I need help.

"In the same place I work there is a young man. We both like each other, but he is too bashful to make any advance. I know he likes me, because he told one of the other girls that he does."

How can I let him know that I like him without appearing bold? Should I ask him to my home? If so, how should I go about it?

DEAR ANNIE LAURIE: I am a girl, eighteen years old, and am in love with a young man. He has told me that he loves me and has asked me to be his wife. But a few weeks ago we had a misunderstanding, and now he doesn't speak to me.

Will you please tell me how I can win this young man back again? BROKEN HEARTED.

DEAR ANNIE LAURIE: I am a girl, twenty years old, and have been going with a young man who will soon be twenty-one. There is six months difference in our ages. Are we too young to get married?

DEAR ANNIE LAURIE: I have been going together for nearly four years. Do you think he really loves me? He doesn't go with me that long if he didn't.

Is it improper for him to kiss me? He says he loves me so much he can't help it. He doesn't go with any other girl that I know of, and I don't go with any other men.

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HEROINES OF HISTORY

Significant Incidents in the Lives of Famous Women

By MARK STUYVESANT

The Great Love That Brought Great Tragedy.

NOT every bride betrothed according to the medieval system of the "arranged marriage" has proved to be an unhappy wife.

Nor has each home into which the heads have been brought and established by respective parents, guardians or politicians turned out to be merely an emotionless place of abode.

At least one such union and one such home, back in Paris of the eighteenth century, became a residence of love and happiness so extraordinary that even to-day, when French maidens and bachelors are inclined to resent the "arrangement" form of betrothal still prevailing in their country, the mere mention of "La-



The Countess Had Him Put On Her Dress.

vallette" is said to quiet all protests. Enlille, the Countess de LaFayette, was a niece of the Empress Josephine. It was when she was a pupil in the school of Madame Campan that Napoleon found something might be gained for his plans by marrying the girl to his aide-de-camp.

LaFayette, like many young Frenchmen of to-day, was first hearing of plans so intimately concerning them in which they have no voice, demurred. But like many a determined papa, "le petit general" informed his assistant that objection was no use—that the marriage would take place within a week.

LaFayette despairingly accompanied Bonaparte, with Josephine in his party, to Madame Campan's school the very next day. But with

ation of the Bourbons. The Countess worked day and night to bring about his pardon, but vainly. So in a last desperate effort she visited her husband in prison, and there she induced him to put on her dress and imitate her walk.

He made the journey past the prison guards successfully by holding a handkerchief to his face as if convulsed with sobs.

The little countess, of course, was forced to remain in the cell and it was just a month from the day of her voluntary incarceration that sorrow and sleeplessness drove her insane.

Six years later LaFayette returned to France, and for the six years that followed, or until the death of his wife, in 1835, he devoted his life to giving her the most affectionate care.

ODD and INTERESTING FACTS

Japan and China embroider their colors on their materials. Sumatra dyes the threads and weaves them in, India stamps, and the South Sea Islands paint them on. But Java paints the pattern on in wax, and dyes the colors in.

Batik, the process used in Java, is a science, an art, an industry, a religion, a mystery, an inheritance and a treasure peculiar to this tropical island. Batik makers draw their designs in hot wax on white cotton cloth, and then color the uncovered portions of the pattern by dipping the waxed cloth again and again into vats of vegetable dye. That the Javans have been able to make the plain cotton so rich and magnificent a fabric entitles Java to a high place in the world of art.

As the batik draws, the hot wax flows from the miniature spout of a very small copper cup, or "tanting," which is fastened securely in one end of a short bamboo handle. This instrument was invented by the

HOME-MAKING HELPS

"Everything About the House Helps to Make the Home"

By WANDA BARTON

Suggestions for a Cozy Corner.

FURNISHING corners in large rooms is part of the art of making rooms home-like.

There is the corner seat which may be bought or built in, which is especially inviting if a small tea or magazine table is set in the triangle of space in front of it. If it is not convenient to buy or build the seat, a couch placed in the corner crossways with the little table in the corner behind it makes an attractive arrangement.

In Russian homes, where the winter is long and people are shut in more than in our own climate, the four corners of the livingrooms are definitely arranged to suit different tastes of the family and offer congenial hospitality to friends. In one corner we may find the card table with cases around it that hold all things needed for the players. In another corner we are likely to find a small table with a lamp, a book, and all the conveniences of desk and equipment. Still another will hold a reading table strewn with books, magazines and with lights, cozy couch and chairs conveniently near. Around the tall, white stove, or wide open fireplace, the almost constantly singing samovar is placed, and tea, with eatables, is ready at short notice for family or friends who may drop in. The entrance hall is double-doored and are specially used for outdoor wraps and fur-lined boots, which are always removed before entering the living-room. We find, also, conversation chairs, one facing another, so that people may converse in a semi-confidential manner, scattered about the rooms. In this way, people naturally drift to the most congenial corner.

A woman accomplished quite an artistic corner at little expense by purchasing two wire cots with mattresses, setting them triangle fashion in the small space between the stove and the fireplace. A brilliant but shaded reading-light was placed on the shelf, which she had a carpenter build in. Where pillows made lounging and reading a most delightful pastime. Another corner in the same room held a triangle of book-shelves running from base-board to picture-rail, while two sturdy little stool ladders invited inspection of books otherwise too high to reach.

A tall screen cuts off a corner attractively, with a small table and a movable extra chair in its folds. A large room, then, perhaps is not sunny and not fully furnished, always seems bleak if the corners are bare and empty. One room was completely altered by hanging curtains from poles so that they cut the corners of the room right off—an odd but not a bad idea if furniture is rather scarce.

Large rooms call for large furniture as a rule, while small rooms need small, well-chosen pieces which fit into the spaces left for them in such a way that they seem to increase rather than decrease the size of the room. If building a home, it is a good idea to put radiators in corners where they may be concealed without disturbing their usefulness, rather than to allow them to be placed under windows or where they take up wall space that might be used for a needed piece of furniture. These objectionable things are placed by many architects under windows, supposedly to heat the air that is expected to fil-

ter in. But this is a mistake, for they are ugly-looking and there is no sense in having them in prominent places. Of course, radiators for hot-air heating are unobtrusive and may be disposed of without seriously affecting the decorative scheme of the room.

In a dining-room, corner closets are the most charming way to fill corners, built in of course after the manner and style of the furnishings of the room. Silver and china, glassware and trays may find a resting place in the pretty closets, where they will be free from dust and not in evidence. They are not shown in the open as they used to be in the old-fashioned days. In fact, the dining-table, itself, is apt to be of the drop-leaf variety, and is closed when not in use in order to give more room, its decoration being a runner with a fruit-dish of some sort and candlesticks to match. Planning the corners or corners is worth while in decorating, for they have great possibilities.

Diary of a Fashion Model

By GRACE THORNCLIFFE

She Chats About an Emerald Green Gown for Evening.

"YOU know I'm death on bargains," Pam announced as she came into the shop yesterday afternoon.

"What have you done now?" I asked.

"Found a bargain," she answered.

"A good one?" I queried.

"It's not a bargain unless it's a good one," she assured me.

"Well, let's pass judgment," I urged.

"It's to be sent up to the shop this afternoon, and I'll let you peep if you're very good," she told me.

Later in the afternoon I saw someone beckoning madly to me from one of the fitting rooms.

Pam's head came through a crack in the door.

"Come here quickly," she called.

"Come before someone catches me and puts me out."

I slipped in, closed the door after me and gave a loud exclamation.

"Pam, you gorgeous creature!" I said. "Where did you get it?"

She answered not a word, but turned round and round so I could get the full effect of her fiery gown.

"Do you like it?" she asked at last.

"I certainly do," I answered enthusiastically. "Where did you get it?"

"I went into a little shop looking for a serge frock for daytime, and this is what I bought," Pam said, smiling.

"Pam, you are very lucky at picking up things that fit you at bargain prices," I said.

"Of course," I added. "I wouldn't have known it was a bargain if you hadn't told me."

"That's the proper thing to say," Pam assured me.

"Turn around again," I commanded.

She turned and I admired the way her green crepe evening frock fitted across the back.

"Rather tight, I know," she said. "But that's the newest. It wrinkles enough to give room for me to sit down, but at a party I'll probably



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be too busy dancing to sit about much."

"I examined the glittering rhinestones and emerald buckle that held the bow in place at the side and nodded my approval at the long string of crystal beads she wore around her neck."

"What kind of slippers will you wear?" I asked.

"I'm a little tired of silver ones and I think I'll go in for golden brown satin," Pam said.

"They'd be lovely with sunburn tint stockings and that green dress," I told her.

Just then we heard Pam's name being called, and she began rambling out of the gorgeous frock.

"Oh for the life of a model!" I heard her say into the folds of her other dress as she slipped it over her head to go and see who was calling.

Tomorrow's HOROSCOPE

By Genevieve Kemble

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8.

A very quiet day is read from the prevailing astrological figure. Affairs may be expected to move along in customary grooves, but it behooves those in the employment of others not to give offense to those in authority or leave loopholes for treachery or subtle attack. The planet governing intrigue, diplomacy and all phases of secret and occult activities is strong by solar as well as lunar position, although its influence is not sinister in every direction.

Those whose birthday it is are under a rule presaging a rather routine year, but persons in the employment of others should be careful not to offend those in authority. It may also be well to be on guard against treachery or conspiracy from quarters least suspected. A child born on this day will have a rather quiet career, although the hour of its birth may modify this forecast.



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PERSONALS

John D. Wyker is sick at his home on Canal street.
B. Berger who is to manage the Foster company's branch house here arrived this morning.
Dr. H. C. Ayer went to Trinity this morning.
B. A. Turner went to Courtland today.
Comforting Thoughts.
The fellow who has no money has at least one consolation. He cannot be criticized for spending it foolishly.
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BIRTH
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SOCIETY

SOCIAL CALENDAR
THURSDAY
Thursday Bridge Club. Mrs. R. M. Buchanan.
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D. A. R. 3 p. m. Mrs. O. B. Cartwright.
Bridge party for Mrs. T. G. Mason.
Mrs. W. H. Montgomery hostess at the Lyons hotel.
FRIDAY
Silk Stocking Club. Mrs. Frank Lida.
Friday Thirteen. Mrs. C. B. Elliott.
Canal street Rook Club. Miss Clara.
Civil Government Class. Y. M. C. A.
Mary Lou Dancy Chapter Sewing Circle. 3 p. m. Thomas Hodson.
Take from the Calendar Civil Government class, Y. M. C. A.

WILSON MEMORIAL SERVICES
AT MUSIC STUDY CLUB
MEETING.
The Music Study club met on Wednesday afternoon with their president Mrs. L. P. Troup at her spacious home on Jackson street.

The early part of the afternoon was devoted to a memorial service to Woodrow Wilson, during which time Mrs. Higdon read eulogies of Wilson and told of his public life. A quartet sang his favorite song, "Day is Dying in the West" and then the different club members gave one or more of his expressions or quotations and some told of important events of his life.
The regular program was carried out later, the afternoon's study being Scandinavian and Greek composers. of the Lorado Taft Art Lecture. The State Federation of Women's Clubs is putting on the lectures of the latter named, noted American sculptor and the one to be given here sometime in March, is being looked forward to with much enthusiasm.

Little Dorothy and Baby Mary McClure who have been sick at their home for the past week are slightly improved today.

Mrs. D. D. McGee has returned from a short visit in Birmingham.

CIVIL GOVERNMENT CLASS
WILL NOT MEET
The Civil Government Class which was to have met on Friday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. has been postponed on account of illness in the family of their teacher, Miss Ellen Groendyke.

Miss Imogene Winton, who is visiting Mrs. James Rice in Huntsville, appeared before the Music Study Club of that place on Wednesday afternoon singing a group of songs in Italian.

MARRIED LADIES

BRIDGE CLUB
Mrs. C. B. Elliott was delightful hostess of Wednesday when she entertained the Married Ladies Bridge club.
The club prize was awarded to Mrs. A. A. Hargrave and the guest prize to Mrs. Mason. Other than club members, Mrs. Elliott's guests were Mrs. W. H. Montgomery and Mrs. T. G. Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Chappell have taken rooms with Mrs. McClure at 411 Prospect Drive.
Mr. and Mrs. C. Dugger arrived home last night from a visit of ten days to several points in Tennessee.

Mrs. W. H. Winton left this morning for Huntsville, where she will be the guest of Mrs. Charles Lane and her mother, Mrs. James Fowler.

The young ladies in the cast of the American Legion minstrels to be staged on February 18 are requested to be at the Lyons hotel ball rooms Friday afternoon at three thirty o'clock for the initial rehearsal.

Fritz Kreisler and Pavlova
IN BIRMINGHAM FEBRUARY 13th AND 14th.

With two attractions in one week such as the all star concert of Birmingham (Mrs. Richard F. Johnston and Mrs. Orlina A. Shipman) will present at the Masonic Auditorium, Fritz Kreisler on Wednesday evening, February 13th and Anna Pavlova the incomparable and her company of eighty and orchestra of fifty on Thursday, February the 14th, out of town patrons are particularly fortunate since in going to Birmingham for one attraction it will be quite as convenient to stay for the two.

In reserving seats for Kreisler, at the same time seats may be reserved for Pavlova, and no greater treat could be enjoyed than the eminent satisfaction of seeing and hearing two of the world's greatest celebrities.

Few artists of any time so hold the admiring affection of the public as Fritz Kreisler, for he is; one of the most fascinating figures in the world. His attractive personality, his modesty of demeanor, his artistic sincerity are alike as rare as they are notable. And to these traits the supreme mastery of his art both technical and interpretative, he is a figure that must stand out in high relief in his generation.

The incomparable Pavlova and her Ballet Rouse with such dancers as Laurent Novikoff, Ivan Clustine, Hilda Butowa and Theodor Stier conductor of the orchestra, sublime heights are reached in the art of exquisite dancing.

Pavlova, after an absence of two seasons, returned to this country on October 8th, bringing her entire London and Paris organizations and opening her American tour at the Manhattan opera house, New York. Here audiences of even greater proportions and more poignant enthusiasm than ever before greeted the world's premier dancer, apparently bent both upon extending her royal welcome back to American shores and enjoy the new revelations of her transcendent artistry. Again the New York reviewers like those of London, acclaim Pavlova the foremost exponent of terpsichore; the most graceful of living women.

AMUSEMENTS

What the Press Agents Say

Sixty miles an hour through a bridge rail into a ditch.

One of the most sensational scenes in "The Sunshine Trail" shows a car full of Thomas H. Ince photoplayers plunging through a heavy rail fence down a steep embankment and into a ditch.

This was one automobile accident which was not faked. As can be seen in the picture, the auto and its human freight were kept close to the camera all the time, even the startled expressions on the actor's faces showing that they were not quite sure how the plunge was going to turn out.

In making this dramatic scene for "The Sunshine Trail" Thomas H. Ince made a new departure. Usually in filming auto falls over cliffs, the car is shown in a "close up" leaving the road and going over the precipice. Then comes a long shot of a dummy auto and dummy occupants turning over and over in their fall down the face of the cliff. Finally there is a close-up of a wrecked car from which real actors, properly made up to show their "wounds," crawl forth from the hiding places under the car into which they had crawled just a moment before the camera started work. The effect is realistic, but not entirely satisfactory.

With the Frank Silver company, which comes to the Masonic theater on Monday, February 11th, will come Stephanie Kovak, and her Cameo Dancing girls, Miss Kovak, whose highly spirited and dazzling Spanish and jazz dances have brought her fame in Europe, South America and the United States, was for the past year, and until she was engaged by Mr. Silver for the present tour, the

bright and outstanding star feature of the fashionable and brilliant club gallant in New York, where her dances and costumes were nightly applauded by New York's most exclusive set. The costumes worn by Miss Kovak in the course of the Frank Silver performance are among the most beautiful ever seen in America and cost the young dancer a fortune. A French costume of the Louis XV period is valued at \$3,000, and the costume used by her dancing partner, Edwards, in the same dance, cost equally as much. Richly embroidered in jewels, rare old fables, the picture presented by Stephanie at her entrance is one of radiant and never-to-be-forgotten beauty. Other costumes, including a Spanish or Argentine Tango gown and shawl are marvels of beauty and extravagance. Among the cardinal adornments which Miss Kovak wears in one of her dances is a giant head-dress of Phœnix feathers which sweep to the floor, fastened to a jeweled crown of hand-wrought gold.

THE Guild of St. John's Episcopal Church will serve a Cafeteria Supper at the Guild House on Tuesday, February 12th, from 5:30 to 7:30 P. M.

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FRANCE HURRIES WASHINGTON NAVAL CONSTRUCTION PLAN

PARIS—When France completes the reduction of the first section of her naval program, elaborated in conformity with the Washington disarmament agreement, the fleet of the republic will consist of nine battleships, 14 cruisers, 60 torpedo boats and destroyers, and 64 submarines. This will be done by the spring of 1926.

Of the nine battleships, however, two are now obsolete and are not even today carried in the parliamentary reports as effective weapons of offense. Six of the 14 cruisers will have passed the age limit, and 17 torpedo boats and destroyers are admitted by naval experts to be unequal to the task that would be allotted to them in present

naval warfare. Twenty of the submarines which saw service during the last war, according to a parliamentary report, would be useless.

Thus France could bring into line for effective naval operations seven battleships, eight cruisers, 43 torpedo boats and destroyers and 40 submarines.

Minister of Marine Flaminius Rabier, expressing his conviction that such a reduced fleet would be unable to ensure the security of France's naval frontiers and the liberty of its naval lines of communications, recently introduced a bill in the chamber, asking authorization to proceed immediately to work on the second section of the naval program, as agreed upon at Washington.

The bill provides for the construction of six cruisers of 10,000 tons, 15 destroyers of 2,400 tons; 25 torpedo boats of 1,450 tons; four submarine cruisers of 3,000 tons; 30 submarines of the first class, 1,300 tons each; two mine layers of 4,000 tons and four tankers of 10,000 tons each. According to the government's program work on these various units was to commence in January 1925, and be completed in 1930.

Deputy Paul Denise, secretary of the Naval Commission of the Chamber, in submitting his report endorsing the program of the government, recommended that "owing to the precarious condition of the French navy, the entire program be completed between 1924 and 1928."

This program as amended by the Naval Commission will come up for discussion during the present year, probably a few weeks after the new chamber meets next May. It involves an expenditure of 2,350,000,000 francs which the present chamber is unwilling to saddle upon the country just previous to going to the polls.

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New German Oil Formula Rubs Out Rheumatic Pains

Remarkable discovery promises quick, soothing relief for rheumatism, gout, neuralgia and neuritis sufferers. German Chemistry that has given to the world the boon of Aspirin for the relief of headache pain, and Novocain for painless dentistry, has now come forward with another scientific discovery that promises to make nerve, joint and muscular pains a thing of the past for thousands who have suffered terrible tortures.

A new combination of certain oils has been discovered which produces a clear amber liquid that affords immediate relief from pain in many instances. It is so penetrating that it disappears within a few seconds, so that it must be entirely absorbed by the body tissue. Even in the most advanced and stubborn cases the use of this remarkable oil has shown astonishing improvement at once in many cases. Fused muscles regain life, creaking joints with the pain all gone become supple, the nerves are quickly soothed and the annoying twinges cease.

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RIGHT OF IRISH PEERS TO SIT IN HOUSE OF LORDS QUESTIONED

LONDON—The question of allowing the Irish representative peers to retain their seats in the House of Lords which was not touched upon in the treaty that created the Irish Free State, is being actively attacked by the Conservative press and anti-Irish organizations in England.

This question, however, has not arisen since the treaty was signed as a vacancy has not occurred in the list of Irish representative peers who are elected to the House of Lords for life. Neither the Free State government nor the British officials have mentioned the subject in their various communications nor is it believed that the matter will be discussed until the question is formally raised in the legislative chambers.

The attack on the Irish representative peers has been carried on almost entirely in England by anti-Irish organizations and apparently has not aroused any of the political parties. The peers have been allowed to carry out their legislative duties without any interference and their right to sit in the upper house has not been officially questioned.

The question of allowing the peers to retain their seats with home rule in Ireland is not a new one. In introducing his home rule bill in the house of commons, in 1886 Gladstone said: "It will be perfectly clear that if Ireland is to have a domestic legislature, Irish peers and Irish representatives cannot come here to conduct English and Scottish affairs." There is evidence later that Mr. Gladstone's views changed and that about 1895 he was disposed to admit members from Ireland to both the upper and lower houses.

The Irish peers since the Union Act have had the right to meet and elect representatives to sit in the house of Lords who keep this office for life. The peers only meet to elect a member to fill vacancies and then they are called together by the clerk of the House of Lords.

The present Irish peers in the Lords number 28.

LACK OF THRIFT CAUSES DIVORCES, DECLARES JUDGE

LOS ANGELES—Judge H. H. Whit has been the chief cause of recent divorces here, according to statistics prepared by Judge Ralph H. Clock of the superior court, covering about 1,000 divorce cases.

"In a number of cases," said Judge Clock, "the married couple lived together less than one day, while the greatest length of time that any couple lived together and then sought divorce was 39 years."

"Salesmen lead the comparative total of unfaithful husbands, ten per cent of the defendants in such divorce actions being of that occupation. Next in order were contractors, merchants, plumbers, painters and printers, with a few barbers. Strange to say, the list includes no attorneys—in fact, few professional men and women."

"If the idea of thrift and home-owning is to be inculcated in the minds of the American people it should be taught in the schools. Then there will be less inclination to rush to the divorce court on the slightest pretext."

FAIR AMERICAN STARTS UNIQUE COLLECTION

SOFIA—It pleases Boris III, King of Bulgaria from time to time to be democratic, and particularly with the citizens of a country known for its democracy.

On New Year's day the king was driving about the city in his limousine paying formal calls and accompanied by two military aides, when he caught sight of an American acquaintance, engaged with his handsome wife in the leisurely occupation of window-shopping. Near the curbstone the car stopped, Boris hopped out, sought his friend and cordially wished him a happy New Year.

On being introduced to the American wife, Boris asked her how she was enjoying her winter in Bulgaria. She exchanged a few remarks of local interest, and on parting lifted his military cap, bent over her hand, kissed her silken glove, and returned to his car beside which his two aides were standing at attention.

"I shall always treasure this memento," said the American woman, well pleased; "It starts my collection of gloves that have been kissed by kings."

Shoe Retailers Select Chicago

CHICAGO—When the members of the National Shoe Retailers' Association meet in convention in Chicago February 11-14, they purpose to stress a program of education.

The argument is advanced that badly shod feet spoil the appearance of a man or woman whose get-up otherwise may be perfect, and that the public should be instructed in what kind of shoes are most appropriate for various and sundry occasions.

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In the middle ages it was considered demeaning to read and write. Now it's demeaning not to.

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His heart cannot be pure whose tongue is not clean.

Fretting cares make gray hairs.

If misfortune comes, she brings along the bravest virtues.

By sorrow of heart the spirit is broken.

A good horse never lacks a saddle.

If it were not for a few leaders, the human race would still be wallowing in the mud of barbarism.

Who woos sleep must have an untroubled heart.

Were everyone to sweep before his own house, every street would be clean.

He who keeps off the ice will not slip through.

If you walk on a tight rope you'll need a balancing pole.

They hurt themselves that wrong others.

In taking revenge, a man is but even with his enemy, but in passing it over, he is superior.



There's one thing in common between the man leaving the opera and the man leaving a movie—LUCKY STRIKE

Better Dead Than Alive.
There are thousands of men in the country who say they are willing to die for the people; and I'm sorry some of them do not do it. Living, they make a great deal of unnecessary trouble.—L.H. Howe's Monthly.

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